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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Paul A. Renhowe, *et al.*

Title: HETEROCYCLIC DERIVATIVES OF
QUINOLINONE BENZIMIDAZOLES

Appl. No.: 09/943,382

Appl. Filing Date: 08/30/2001

Examiner: Rita J. Desai

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. § 141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. § 145 or § 146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

1. **Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114:** (check items that apply)

a. Previously submitted:

[] Please enter and consider the amendment/reply previously filed on ____.

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- ☐ Other ___.
- b. Enclosed are:
- ☒ Amendment/Reply.
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- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement.
- ☐ Form PTO-1449 with copies of ___ listed reference(s).
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- ☐ Suspension of action of the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of ___ months.

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	Claims as Amended	Previously Paid For	Extra Claims Present	Rate	Fee Totals
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[X] A check in the amount of \$770.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

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[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-2350. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 50-2350.

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Respectfully submitted,

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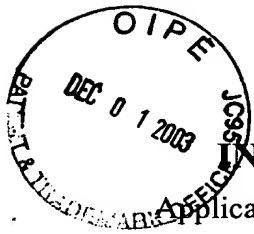
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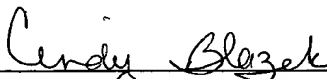
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- * Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal (4 pages)
- * Amendment and Submission for Request for Continued Examination (13 pages)
- * Check No. 806525; \$770.00
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